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Alisha:

Hope you weathered Sandy without damage ... some of our people in Crystal City had fallen trees in their yards.

Would like to circle back with you again on the USGS report on Pavillion. I am looking for answers to two questions:

- 1) How common is it for USGS to conduct its own study of well data after EPA has already conducted a study? And,
- 2) What effect on the EPA peer review process might the USGS report have?

Please call me at your earliest convenience. Thanks!

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